

Mastering the Basics

Objectives:

- Drivers will learn how to recognize driving hazards.
- Drivers will learn defensive actions to take when facing a potential collision.
- Drivers will learn the importance of reaction time and how to compensate when reaction time becomes longer.

Prior to the class:

Reproduce the following handouts to distribute and use during the presentation:

- *Sign in sheet*
- *Safety Belts and Air Bags Fact Sheet*
- *Program evaluation*

Thoroughly review *PowerPoint Presentation*. Notes providing background information have been included for each slide and can be used as a script. **Words in bold type are directions for the presenter to follow during the program.**

Consider using the following optional resources:

- Supplemental Resource Materials from NHTSA. Allow at least 6 weeks for delivery. Free Safety Materials covering a variety of traffic safety topics can be ordered online at: <http://nhtsa.gov/people/outreach/media/catalog/Index.cfm>.

